## H. R. 2256

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 24, 1997

Mr. Schumer introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

## A BILL

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  - 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
  - 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
  - 3 SECTION 1. GRANT REDUCTION FOR CERTAIN REGISTRA-
  - 4 TION REQUIREMENTS.
  - 5 (a) Grant Reduction for Noncompliance.—Sec-
  - 6 tion 506 of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe

- 1 Streets Act of 1968 is amended by adding at the end the
- 2 following:
- 3 "(g) Registration Requirement.—
- "(1) IN GENERAL.—The funds available under this subpart for a State shall be reduced by 10 percent and redistributed under paragraph (2) if the
- 7 State has in effect throughout the State a law which
- 8 requires that an individual convicted of an offense
- 9 that involves consensual sexual activity between indi-
- viduals 18 years of age or older register in accord-
- ance with section 170101 of the Violent Crime Con-
- trol and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (42 U.S.C.
- 13 14071).
- 14 "(2) Redistribution.—Any funds available
- for redistribution shall be redistributed to participat-
- ing States that do not have in effect a law referred
- to in paragraph (1).
- 18 "(3) COMPLIANCE.—The Attorney General
- shall issue regulations to ensure compliance with the
- requirements of paragraph (1).".
- 21 (b) Conforming Amendment.—Section 506(a) of
- 22 title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act
- 23 of 1968 is amended by striking "subsection (f)," and in-
- 24 serting "subsections (f) and (g),".